



**PATENT APPLICATION**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of

Docket No: Q69163

Motoshi KONNO, et al.

Appln. No.: 10/088,821

Group Art Unit: 1626

Confirmation No.: 5233

Examiner: Andrea D Souza Small

Filed: March 22, 2002

For: HYDROXAMIC ACID DERIVATIVES, THE METHODS FOR PREPARATION  
THEREOF AND PHARMACEUTICAL COMPOSITIONS COMPRISING THEREOF,  
AS AN ACTIVE INGREDIENT

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136**

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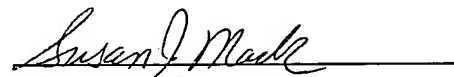
Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136, Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time of one month(s), extending the time for responding to the Office Action of August 8, 2003 to December 8, 2003.

A check for the statutory fee of \$110.00 is attached. The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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